WASHINGTON METROPOLITAN AREA TRANSIT COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, DC

ORDER NO. 3887

TN	THE	MATTER	$OF \cdot$

Served February 14, 1992

Application of MILDRED DAVIS	}	Case No.	AP-92-02
ROOPNARAINE Trading as MDR)		
TRANSPORTING SERVICE for a)		
Certificate of Authority	}		
Trregular Route Operations)		*

By application accepted for filing February 5, 1992, Mildred Davis Roopnaraine trading as MDR Transporting Service (MDR or applicant), seeks a Certificate of Authority to transport passengers in irregular route operations between points in the Metropolitan District, restricted to transportation in vehicles with a manufacturer's designed seating capacity of 15 or fewer persons, including the driver.

MDR proposes to initiate operations using one owned vehicle having a manufacturer-designed seating capacity of less than 16 persons, including the driver. Applicant's proposed rate schedule contains individual round-trip fixed fares for private-pay passengers and per-capita mileage rates applicable to passengers transported for the Maryland Medical Assistance Program.

MDR's application includes information regarding, among other things, its facilities, vehicle maintenance arrangements, driver training practices, proposed tariff, finances, and regulatory compliance record. The application is available for inspection at the office of the Commission during its regular business hours.

In determining whether to grant or deny an application for a Certificate of Authority, the Compact, Title II, Article XI, Section 7 requires that the Commission determine whether an applicant is fit, willing, and able to perform that transportation properly and conform to the provisions of the Compact and the Commission's rules, regulations, and requirements and whether the transportation is consistent with the public interest. Pursuant to Commission Rule No. 6, this order and fulfillment of its requirements will provide notice of MDR's application for a Certificate of Authority.

THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED:

- 1. That Mildred Davis Roopnaraine, trading as MDR Transporting Service shall publish once in a newspaper of general circulation in the Metropolitan District, notice in the form prescribed by the staff of the Commission, no later than Monday, February 24, 1992.
- 2. That Mildred Davis Roopnaraine trading as MDR Transporting Service shall file with the Commission, no later than Friday, March 13, 1992, an original and four copies of an affidavit that notice has been published as required in the preceding paragraph.

- 3. That any person wanting to protest the issuance of a Certificate of Authority to Mildred Davis Roopnaraine trading as MDR Transporting Service shall do so in accordance with Commission Rule No. 13 and Regulation No. 54-04(a), and any person wanting to comment on this matter, other than by protest, shall do so in writing, in accordance with Regulation No. 54-04(a), by filing such protest or comment at the office of the Commission, 1828 L Street, N.W., Suite 703, Washington, DC 20036-5104, no later than Friday, March 13, 1992, and shall simultaneously serve a copy of such protest or comment on applicant's representative, Robert B. Walker, Esquire, Suite 775, 1275 K Street, N.W., Washington, DC 20005-4006.
- 4. That any person seeking a formal oral hearing on this matter shall request one in accordance with Commission Regulation No. 54-04(b) no later than Friday, March 13, 1992, and shall simultaneously serve a copy of such request on applicant's representative, Robert B. Walker, Esquire, Suite 775, 1275 K Street, N.W., Washington, DC 20005-4006.

FOR THE COMMISSION:

William H. McGilvery Executive Director